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Mark D. Marini, Secretary
Department of Public Utilities
One South Station, 5th Floor
Boston, MA 02110

December 1, 2017

RE: D.P.U. 16-101, City of Gloucester – 2017 Annual Report for Aggregation Program

Dear Secretary Marini:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of the City of Gloucester in the above-referenced docket, please find the 2017 Annual Report for the City's Community Electricity Aggregation Program.

Please let me know if you have any questions in regards to this submission.

Sincerely,



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D.P.U. 16-101, CITY OF GLOUCESTER MUNICIPAL AGGREGATION PLAN
ANNUAL REPORT TO THE
MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
December 1, 2017

I. BACKGROUND

On January 27, 2017, the Department of Public Utilities (Department) approved the Municipal Aggregation Plan of the Municipality pursuant to G.L. c. 164. The Department directed the Municipality to file an annual report with the Department on December 1 of each year. The Municipality hereby submits its annual report for 2017.

II. STATUS OF AGGREGATION PROGRAM

Based upon market analysis, and the very high capacity charges in the NEMA load zone, the City of Gloucester determined that it would be in the best interest of the residents and businesses to delay launching the aggregation program. The City will continue to monitor market conditions and intends to conduct a competitive bid when the market conditions become more favorable.